

BRAINERD WELCOMES BANKERS

FOREST FIRES AGAIN BECOME A MENACE IN THE FAR WEST

Missoula Montana is Seriously Menaced and Dense Smoke Stops Business

All Available Men Have Been Drafted For Fighting Fire

(By United Press)
Missoula, Mont., Aug. 21—With ashes falling on the streets of Wallace, and Missoula seriously menaced by fire out of control, floods of reports of the forest fires were received here today from scores of camps in Idaho, eastern Washington and Montana.

Nine years ago part of Wallace was ruined by forest fires when they wiped out scores of homes and thirty five men were killed.

Smoke has been so heavy in Missoula that business has almost ceased. The fire at Meadow Creek progressed twenty miles and has jumped the Selway forest and reached down into the Salmon River country. Inland towns have been drained of all available men for fire fighting.

PACKERS GET BIG ADVANTAGE

From Privately Owned Refrigerator Cars, Witness Testifies to Senate

By RAYMOND CLAPPER
(Staff Correspondent, United Press)
Washington, Aug. 21—A charge that the big packers through the private ownership of refrigerator cars are able to control groceries, canned goods and other commodities, was laid before the Senate Agricultural committee today by Dr. Lewis H. Haney. Dr. Haney, who is director of research and publicity of other wholesale grocers associations and formerly head of the department of economics at the University of Texas, appeared in behalf of the Kenyon bill. He presented to the committee a twenty-nine page report to back his statement that private refrigerator cars give the packers an advantage in shipping, and two petitions, the first signed by 200 residents of Chattanooga, who previously expressed opposition to the Kenyon bill, and 1000 residents of San Antonio, in support of the bill.

Big Packers Are Defended

(By United Press)
Washington, Aug. 21—A defense of the big packers was made today by Senator Fernald of Maine, in a speech. He urged that an attempt to regulate packing industries of the country be abandoned. He is himself a large packer of vegetables. He declared the big packers are efficient and economical, and there is no reason they should be singled out for an attack, if they are licensed.

TO ACT ON RUSS BLOCKADE

Supreme Council Shortly to Discuss Raising of Barrier

Paris, Aug. 19—The question of raising the blockade of Russia will be taken up shortly by the Supreme Council, the Echo de Paris says.

The council, the newspapers add, will consult with Marshal Foch on the subject of the disturbed situation in upper Silesia and Allied troops may occupy certain towns.

YANKS' RETURN IS SOUGHT

Chicagoans Go to Washington on Behalf of Boys in Siberia

Chicago, Aug. 19—A delegation of Chicagoans left today for Washington to see President Wilson, Secretary Baker or any one they can see about having American soldiers brought back from Siberia.

SADIGH EL-SULLANES



For the first time in nearly two years Persia has an official representative in Washington, Sadigh El-Sullan, the newly appointed minister, having arrived in the national capital recently. He succeeds Mirza Ali-Kuli Khan, the former charge d'affaires.

Nation Wide Strike is Probable

Unless the Steel Trust Confers With Representatives of Unions

Youngstown, Ohio, Aug. 21—United Press—The date for a nationwide strike affecting 250,000 organized iron and steel workers, will be announced in ten days unless the heads of the United States Steel Corporation agree to arrange for a conference with union representatives. This statement was made by union officials today after canvassing of the votes cast by union members on the question of whether they shall strike if necessary to back up their demands.

Pittsburg Railway Men Will Take Vote on Strike

(By United Press)
Pittsburg, Aug. 21—More than three thousand striking motormen and conductors of the Pittsburg Street Railway company, will vote on whether to return to work or remain on strike. While receivers for the company were confident that the men would vote to return to work, the union leaders expressed the opinion that the strike would be prolonged.

Favored with warm, sunny weather showing Brainerd and the surrounding agricultural and mining country at its best, visiting bankers from the sixth congressional district in attendance at the sixteenth annual convention of the sixth district group, Minnesota Bankers Association, formed a most optimistic opinion of the heart of Minnesota.

The meeting was marked by a large attendance, every section of the district being represented as the convention opened its proceedings in the spacious Chamber of Commerce rooms at 10:30 this morning.

Convention Opened.

The invocation was delivered by Rev. E. A. Cooke, pastor of the First Methodist church of Brainerd.

Mayor F. E. Little of Brainerd, delivered an address of welcome that pleased the bankers exceedingly. The responses were made by D. I. Bouck, president of the sixth district group. Mr. Bouck is cashier of the Rice State bank of Rice.

There followed the report of the secretary, George A. Moore, who is cashier of the Merchants National bank of St. Cloud.

Twin Cities Represented

Twin City bankers came in a body the twenty being headed by George H. Richards of Minneapolis, secretary of the Minnesota Bankers Association. President Michael Dowling was not present, as the Olivia banker is engaged in "cheer up" work of soldiers and sailors in England. Vice President Otto Nelson of the First National bank of St. Paul was also unable to come.

Program Change

Some change was made in the afternoon program as F. E. Pearson, superintendent of banks, was unable to be present to read his paper on "Problems of the Banking Department." He had been detained by some court proceedings which necessitated his presence. In his place E. A. Williams of Minneapolis, with the Federal Reserve bank in Thrift Campaign work, spoke on thrift and saving.

Important addresses were also delivered by Dean Dowling of the University of Minnesota on "Minnesota's New School of Business" and by Harry G. Davis, secretary of the Minnesota Highway Improvement Association on "The Babcock Amendment."

Round Table

The round table discussion was under the leadership of W. W. Smith, vice president of the Farmers State Bank of St. Cloud and it took up such live topics as the tax exemption of federal land bank bonds, the burglary and hold-up menace, the guarantee of deposits law, etc.

Next Group Meeting

The next group meeting will be held at Ortonville August 23 and the Twin City Bankers in their special car will travel via Northern Pacific and Milwaukee roads to that city from Brainerd.

Fly to Convention

J. C. Erner, president of the Peoples State bank of Minneapolis, came to the meeting by aeroplane.

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MRS. HARRY S. NEW



Mrs. Harry S. New, wife of the senator from Indiana, besides being prominent socially in Washington, is actively interested in politics. She is a member of the National Women's Republican committee.

Withdraw American Troops When Search is Futile

(By United Press)

El Paso, Texas, Aug. 21—The withdrawal of the American troops from Mexico to "prevent difficulty" was suggested to Col. Langhorne at Marfa in a message from the Mexican consul, Bengoechea, at Presidio. A force of Carranza's cavalry, an estimate of from 125 to 250 men, was sighted by American aeroplanes four miles below the border. The Mexican troops were moving toward the Candelaria district, where the 8th United States cavalry are hunting the bandits who kidnapped Peterson and Davis. The possibility of a clash between the troops was not seriously considered. The American troops will be withdrawn when the search seems futile.

Washington, Aug. 21—Belief prevails by the army officials that the troops of the 8th cavalry will be withdrawn within the next few days.

Two Bandits Captured

(By United Press)

San Antonio, Texas, Aug. 21—Two Mexicans believed to be members of Renteria's band have been captured by the American troops south of Candelaria, according to information received here today. The cavalry sergeant reached Marfa with the simple announcement that the men had been captured.

General Dickman will arrive at Marfa early today according to information received at his office here.

FIRST MOVE TO RATIFY TREATY IS MADE IN SENATE

Adopt Resolution With Reservations and Submit to Other Powers, Pittman Urges

Pittman Resolution Will be Killed

BY L. C. MARTIN,
(United Press Staff Correspondent.)

Washington, Aug. 21—Senator Pittman's resolution embodying President Wilson's suggestion for peace treaty reservations, outside of the resolution of ratification, is to lay on the table "indefinitely," democratic leaders said today. Senator Lodge sent a special call to all republican senators to be in their places when the senators meet to vote on the Pittman resolution. Pittman decided not to call it up today. A democratic senator expressed the belief that Pittman had never intended to bring it to a vote. Pittman said yesterday he did so intend. He merely introduced it as a suggestion to reservationists, Senator Hitchcock said.

Dr. C. Ferguson, advisor to President Wilson on the Shantung award, was before the senate foreign relations committee today. He told how Japan forced China to accept the 21 demands made early in 1915. Among other threats by which Japan gained her will Ferguson said, was that Japan would not let Kia Chow to China unless the 21 demands were granted.

Mexican Government Asks For Withdrawal of American Troops

(By United Press)

Mexico City, Aug. 21—The Mexican government has complete confidence in the intentions and spirit of justice of President Wilson and American people, Secretary of the State, Berhara, told the United Press today when asked for an expression of opinion on the crossing of the international boundary by American troops near Candelaria, Texas. President Carranza, when asked for his opinion of the resignation of Ambassador Bonillas, in Washington, after being instructed to make representation to the U. S. government asking for the withdrawal of troops, cavalry and aeroplanes, the president did not give any opinion as to how he viewed the situation.

President Has Not Power to Proclaim Peace Without Senate

(By United Press)

Washington, Aug. 21—Replying to a question submitted by Senator Fall of New Mexico, President Wilson today declared it is his judgment that he has not the power to proclaim a state of peace before the ratification of the peace treaty by the senate.

The president says that renouncing all territory rights by Germany does not convey the title to the allies.

The Fall question was discussed at the White House conference between President Wilson and the senate foreign relations committee Tuesday.

Frozen Fowl Stored One Year

(By United Press)

Duluth, Aug. 21—Federal authorities today seized 161,210 pounds of frozen fowl said to have been stored since March, 1918, from the Northern Cold Storage company. Armour & Company are said to be owners of the seized stock.

Consent to Guarantee of Territories Will Mean War, Senator Mc- Cormick Warns

Washington, Aug. 20—The first open move for a compromise in the league of nations fight came from administration quarters today, embraced in a proposal that the senate adopt interpretative reservations but that they be kept apart from the actual ratification of the treaty.

The president in addition to declaring that he had no power to declare peace quickly indicated that he would not consent to take such a step even if he did have the power. He declared that such a step "would put a stain upon our national honor which we never could efface."

Senators of the republican reservation groups declared they could not recede from their position that to be effective the reservations must go into the ratification itself.

In Form of Resolution

Senator Pittman of Nevada, a democratic member of the foreign relations committee, presented the compromise proposal in the form of a resolution embodying in effect the four reservations agreed on by seven republican senators and declaring them to constitute the senate's understanding of disputed points in the covenant.

In the republican draft, however, it is expressly provided that the reservations "be made a part of the treaty by the instrument of ratification" a proviso which Senator McNary of Oregon and others of the group of seven republicans said they considered absolutely necessary if enough republican votes are to be gained to secure ratification of the treaty.

Asks Immediate Adoption

To overcome this objection, Senator Pittman proposed in a speech in the senate that the resolution be adopted at once and submitted to the other powers who will be represented on the league council. A general debate developed during which Senator Borah, republican, Idaho, and others took exception with President Wilson's distinction between moral and legal obligations under the covenant as expressed in yesterday's White House conference between the president and the foreign relations committee.

Although Senator Pittman said he had not submitted his resolution for the president's approval, he asserted that it carried into effect Mr. Wilson's views on the subject of reservations as expressed to the committee yesterday. He indicated his firm belief that the administration would go no further toward a compromise because it feared that intrusion of the reservations in the ratification would reopen the negotiations with Germany.

Cannot Bind.

When Senator Pittman presented his resolution, Senators Brandegee, Connecticut, and Poinsett, Washington, republicans, declared reservation adopted in that manner would have no binding effect.

Korean Situation

(By United Press)

Washington, Aug. 21—Announcements of reformation in the administration of Korea, means nothing according to Dr. Singman Rhee, president of Korea, in a statement issued here today. "It is simply every individual for themselves. Reformation cannot grow out of Japan's control of Korea in any manner or form or in any degree."

Food Profiteers and Housewives, Attention!



Housewives, attention! Here are real bargains. They are offered by Uncle Sam at the New York Custom House, left to right, as follows: To-

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ed beef, 2 lb. can, 55c; roast beef, 2 lb. can, 65c; corned beef hash, 1 lb. can, 22c; pork and beans, No. 1 can, 5c; wax beans, No. 2 can, 11c; strip of bacon in back, 34c lb.

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THE WEATHER

Weather Forecast for next 24 hours:

Minnesota—Aug. 21, fair tonight, warmer in extreme west. Friday partly cloudy, cooler in northwest in the afternoon.

North Dakota, Aug. 21—Fair and warmer tonight, probably followed by showers. Cooler Friday.

Co-operative observer's record, 7 P. M.—

Aug. 20, maximum 63, minimum 58. Reading in evening, 62. South wind. Cloudy; trace rain.

Aug. 21, minimum during night, 58.

LOCAL NEWS NOTES

For Spring Water phone 264. tf

Mrs. C. Bourassa is sick at her home.

For auto livery call 613-L. 52-1m
Phone Clark's for Mason and E-Z Seal Jars in all sizes. 53tf

The St. Paul passenger train was late this afternoon.

Crystal Spring Water, \$1.00 month. L. Bourassa, Telephone 13. 541m

Senator P. G. McGarry of Walker was in the city today.

Electric Irons \$5.00, up. Brainerd Electric Co. 19tf

Brainerd Agency for Sauk Centre Laundry at 506 Laurel Street, Gardner Block. First class work guaranteed. PETER ABEAR.

Miss Hilda Kindikka, guest of her sister, Mrs. Ernest Ritari, returned this afternoon to her home in Hibbing.

Dance at Woodrow, Aug. 23 at Peter Sand's boarding house. 6613

A. J. Ellison went to Hubert this afternoon to join his family who are spending a few weeks there rustating.

A Liberty Bond and \$15 monthly buys a home of Nettleton. \$5 a month buys large liberty lots. 50tf

Mrs. M. A. Glass and daughter, Miss Gra, have returned from an ex.

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tended visit in Pittsburgh, Pa., and vicinity and St. Louis, Mo.

Havoline oil 50c per gallon at Woodhead Motor Co. sale. 62tf

Miss Marion Opsahl and little sister, Dorothy June, went to Pequot this afternoon. Miss Opsahl has been teaching school in Eveleth.

For bargains in houses and lots, see J. R. Smith Sleeper Block. 226tf

Rev. Fred M. Ohms, Dr. and Mrs. Williams, Mr. and Mrs. A. Shanks, Mr. and Mrs. A. Whitted attended the funeral of Silas Lingwall at Emily Wednesday.

To the Public—Laundry work solicited. Peter Ahear, Gardiner Bldg., 506 Laurel St. 62tf

The new Royal Tailor samples are now ready for your inspection. They are beauties. Come to see them at Oberst's. 6812

Miss Frances Howlin, who has been visiting friends in Brainerd, has returned to Sioux Falls, S. D. She was accompanied by Miss Margarita Thomas, who will visit there.

You save 40c per gallon if you take advantage of the Havoline oil sale at Woodhead Motor Co. 62tf

County Attorney E. H. Krewitz of Atkin county, was before Judge W. S. McClenahan in district court chambers with a man who plead guilty of burglary in third degree.

Buy oil below cost at Woodhead Motor Co. Sale price on Havoline oil. 62tf

Young men, middle aged men and old men will be delighted when they see the new Royal Tailor samples now on display at Oberst's. 6812

ICE CREAM SOCIAL

The Luther League Society of the Swedish Lutheran church will give an Ice Cream Social, Thursday evening August 21st, on the church lawn, corner Norwood St. and Broadway.

Everybody Welcome

Boost for Brainerd and ask your grocer for Brainerd-made bread. 49tf

Just as soon as weather permits our assortments of fancy cakes and pastry will be increased. Watch for our lines Saturdays. Ericsson Brothers Bakery. 49tf

Miss Elizabeth Hansen returned recently from a few days visit with Miss Cleah Mayo at Mayo's summer home near Fort Ripley, where Mr. Mayo is conducting a sawmill.

The Big Fall Term starts off with a rush on Tuesday, Sept. 2nd. Lots of new features in every course. Better be on the safe side, and get in your enrollment at once, so that you will be sure of a reservation for this big term. See about it today. 6615

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What have you got to trade, or anything you want to get rid of, call and see L. J. Alberts, the Ford dealer, Deerwood and Ironton. 6811d-361f-w

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Cullen of Whitefish, Mont., were visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Cullen, and on Friday morning will leave for Chicago to visit her brother who is a cartoonist on a Chicago daily.

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Soldiers, Sailors, Marines, get your Business Education FREE at the Brainerd Commercial College. Write or call for full information. Do it now. 6615

Sheriff Claus A. Theorin has received notice from the St. Cloud reformatory that James A. DeRoche, committed there April 22, has escaped on the night of August 19. A reward of \$25 is offered for his return.

Several Ford cars and also trucks for sale. See L. J. Alberts, the Ford dealer, Deerwood and Ironton. 6811d-361f-w

Mr. and Mrs. Dean White are entertaining at a six o'clock dinner tonight for Mr. and Mrs. Cleon White, Mr. and Mrs. Neil Brooks of Billings, Mont., Mr. and Mrs. Martin Opits of Eden, S. D. Mr. and Mrs. Cleon White will leave tomorrow for Scotland.

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CARNEGIE FAILS TO "DIE A PAUPER"

Original Will of Late Iron Master Believed to Have Been Changed

New York, Aug. 21—Although Andrew Carnegie, steel magnate and philanthropist, declared during his lifetime that he expected to give away his huge fortune and "die a pauper," his estate will be disposed of by a will which will be filed for probate next week, was "several times \$50,000,000," it was learned from an authoritative source here today.

Publication of a story to the effect that Mr. Carnegie had given away all of his estate with the exception of about \$50,000,000, brought the statement that the estate was much larger.

It also was stated that a will of approximately 4,500 words drawn by Mr. Carnegie himself and which was generally believed to be his last will has been superseded by a briefer document of 2,000 words drawn by Elihu Root.

The decision of Mr. Carnegie to revoke the original will on which he had expended much time and thought and which bequeathed a large part of his estate to his daughter, Margaret, was said to have resulted from her marriage to Ensign Roswell Miller several months ago. Mr. Carnegie settled a large "dot" on his daughter at the time of her wedding and for this reason is said to have found it necessary to alter the provisions of the will.

SOFT COAL MINERS' STRIKE EXPECTED

Springfield, Ill., Aug. 20—A general strike of the soft coal miners in the United States may come Oct. 1. The decision will be reached at a joint conference of operators and miners at Buffalo, N. Y., beginning Sept. 25. The immediate result of that conference, as viewed by responsible operators and by equally representative leaders of the miners, will be a strike. Resultant prices of coal will obtain at once, according to the view of men who ought to know, and eventually there will be an increase of miners' wages.

ARCHDUKE RESIGNS POST

Joseph, However, Consents to Rule for Time Being

Budapest, Aug. 19—Archduke Joseph has agreed to resign as temporary dictator of the Hungarian government because of the Socialists' objections of him, but he consented to remain in office for the time being when peasant leaders and members of the reactionary party protested. They declared they would cause the food blockade against Budapest to be re-established unless he continued to act as regent.

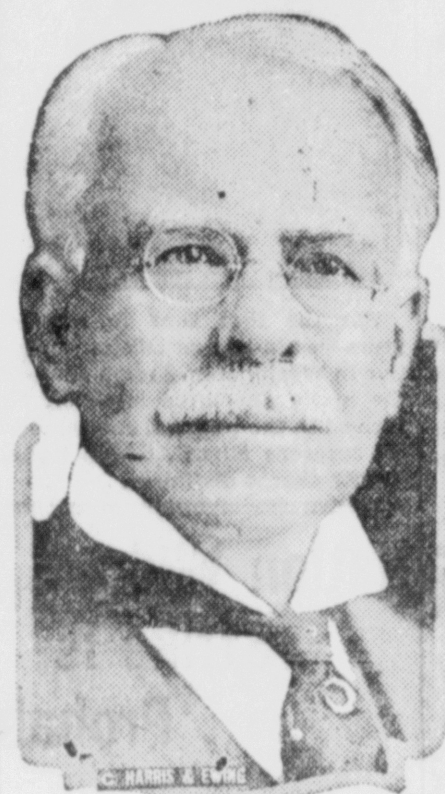
AMERICAN TANKER BURNS

\$100,000 Worth of Goods Destroyed on Havre Pier

Havre, Aug. 19—The American tank steamer George G. Henry caught fire yesterday, and \$100,000 worth of goods on the pier to which the steamer was moored, were consumed. The tanker was heavily damaged.

The George G. Henry left New York August 2 with a cargo of oil.

LOUIS B. GOODALL



Representative Louis B. Goodall of Maine has combined business zeal with sentiment in his congressional directory biography. He says, among other things, that he originated the well-known palm beach cloth.

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Daily Thought.

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WOMAN'S REALM

SALE OF ARMY GOODS AT P. O.

The sale of army food supplies at cheap prices continues at the post-office until all goods are sold. It was first announced orders would be received on three days only, Aug. 18, 19 and 20. Stores on hand Thursday morning included tins of bacon, roast beef, etc.

MINIMUM WAGES

Mrs. Eliza P. Evans of St. Paul, Secretary of Minimum Wage Commission, Making Survey

Miss Eliza P. Evans, of St. Paul, secretary of the Minimum Wage Commission, is making a survey of Brainerd to see if employers are observing the provisions of the new minimum wage act affecting women and minors.

She called attention to the section providing that 36 to 48 hours is a week's work and that under 26 hours is part time work and that the hourly rate of 23c governs. Seven dollars a week was considered the general allowance for room and board for restaurant and hotel employees.

ENTERTAINED FRIENDS

Dr. and Mrs. J. A. Thabes Hosts at a House Party at Their Summer Home on Gull Lake

Dr. and Mrs. J. A. Thabes entertained at their Gull lake summer home Wednesday Mr. and Mrs. Ziegler of Junction City, Kansas; Fred Boett and family of the same place; the two Minor families of Kansas City, Kansas; Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Hall of Bay Lake.

The elder Mr. Minor is the president of the Tibb route books so popular among automobile tourists of all states.

McLellan-Otis

A very pretty wedding took place Wednesday morning at 7:30 o'clock when Miss Hattie McLellan was married to William Otis at St. Francis Catholic church, Father John Cream officiating.

The bride wore a beautiful blue tricotine traveling suit with a white Georgette hat and carried a bouquet of white roses. The bridesmaid was Mrs. Edward Olmschick of Edmonton, Alberta, Canada, who wore a green silk and wool Jersey suit with a white Milan hat and also carried a bouquet of white roses. She is a sister of the bride and her brother, Geo. McLellan of Brainerd, was best man.

A wedding breakfast was served at the bride's home and they left on the 11 o'clock morning train for Glacier Park, Missoula, and other points of interest.

The bride is well known in this city, having been employed for some time at the Lammon drug store. She has a large circle of friends. The bridegroom is a machinist employed at the Northern Pacific railway shops and is well liked by employers and associates. They intend making their home in Brainerd.

Florence Rebekah Club

The Florence Rebekah Social club will meet with Mrs. Stella Russell, 1215 South Seventh street, on Friday, August 22. A full attendance is desired as a picnic at Niwasa Sun-Gay, August 24, is to be discussed.

Unity Lodge Picnic

Members of Unity Lodge No. 194 of the Odd Fellows will have a picnic at Niwasa on Sunday, Aug. 24. Those having cars are asked to bring them. All will meet at the Odd Fellows hall at 9 o'clock in the morning.

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and for years it was supposed to be incurable. Doctors prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Catarrh is a local disease, greatly influenced by constitutional conditions and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Medicine, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is a constitutional remedy, is taken internally and acts through the blood on the mucous surfaces of the system. One Hundred Dollars reward is offered for any case that Hall's Catarrh Medicine fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, Ohio. Sold by Druggists, 75c. Hall's Family Pills for constipation

Floor Bleach.

If an unfilled or undressed hardwood floor becomes gray apply a solution of two ounces of oxalic acid dissolved in just enough water to wet it well all over. Let stand fifteen or twenty minutes; then rinse in cold water and proceed to wash without suds as usual.

BLACK BERRIES PLENTIFUL

Luscious Fruit to be Found in Greater Quantities Than Usual This Year

All kinds of berries have been very plentiful this year, the blueberry crop being the largest known in recent years. This is also true of black berries, especially in the Mille Lacs country. Yesterday Auditor C. W. Mahlum drove with his family out to near the farm of Commissioner Dewing and in four or five hours the party of five harvested 80 quarts of the luscious fruit.

Every day parties go out into that country and all return with all the berries they have the facility to carry.

DEERWOOD

Deerwood, Minn., Aug., 20.—The Bay Lake Fruit Growers Association is about to establish a branch at Rosburg. This makes the third store of the association others being at Deerwood and Aitkin.

The annual meeting of stockholders of the Cuyuna Range Power Co. will be held at the residence of A. W. Miller, secretary of the company, at 10 o'clock on Sept. 2.

Frances and Mary Gormley of Missoula, Mont., visiting first in Superior, Wis., are now guests of their grandmother, Mrs. Sarah Peterson.

C. O. Rudolph was doing carpenter work in Cloquet.

Owing to ill health Marshal Gust Ringhand will resign from his position on Sept. 1.

Rev. E. P. Rorem of Brainerd conducted services in the Lutheran church in Deerwood.

Mrs. J. A. Harding has returned to Fargo, N. D., after a visit with her mother, Mrs. Butler.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Raymond motored to the north shore of Lake Superior.

Thomas Keating of Minneapolis was in town.

Mr. and Mrs. John P. Ernster of Minneapolis and Lieut. Omer Ernster of Brainerd were guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Ernster.

Rev. E. A. Cooke of the First Methodist church of Brainerd, conducted services at the Deerwood sanatorium.

FOREIGN FLASHES

Windsor, Eng.—Bellinghams at the parish church object to ringing too often for royal birthdays. Royal birthday peals have accordingly been limited to four occasions a year, king, queen, queen-mother and Prince of Wales.

Paris—Missing since 1887, the body of a man was discovered in a gas reservoir at Dreux. The man's body and clothing were wonderfully preserved, and in his pocket was a letter stating he was going to commit suicide.

London—That the woman who had enticed her husband away, coolly called to ask if she might take the five children as well, as the husband wanted them, was stated by a Tottenham wife seeking a desertion order.

London—Charged with being in possession of counterfeit ten shilling notes, William Warner successfully pleaded that he carried them for a joke, startling people by using them in public as cigarette lighters.

London—Analysis of the water from the village well at Bulphan, Essex, following complaints as to taste, disclosed 1 cc. of magnesium sulphate (Epsom salt) per gallon. Bulphan residents are drinking rain-water now.

Sydney—An inland sea, 30,000 acres in extent is to be formed by damming the junctions of the rivers Murray, Darling and Mitta-Mitta. The cost will be \$30,000,000 and mostly ex-soldiers are to be employed.

Newport, Wales—Carrying a hayfork on his shoulder during a thunderstorm, Edward Travers, sixteen-year-old farm hand, was struck and killed by lightning.

Outspoken Athenian.

More than twenty-three hundred years ago a young Athenian, speaking of his wife, said to Socrates: "When I saw that she had powder on her face to make it whiter and rouge to make it redder, and that she wore high-heeled shoes to appear taller, I told her it was as dishonorable for her to try to deceive me about her beauty as for me to try to deceive her about my property. I added that, although her arts might impose upon others, they could not impose upon me, who saw her at all times."—Youth's Companion.

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AMUSEMENTS

At the Best Today

Charles Ray has assumed, by virtue of his innate cleverness, a place in the screen world that distinctly individual. He has no rivals because his work is of a kind that no one else has come anywhere near equaling. He will be seen in "The Girl Dodger," his latest photoplay at the Best theatre today.

His impersonation of the dreamy college student who, by force of circumstances, is thrown into a whirl of unsuspected and unwonted adventures, gives his admirers a new side of his character and in an environment that is invariably pleasing—that of the college. The former students will recall with pleasure the experiences of their own youth, while the younger men and women will be equally delighted by the antics and scrapes that result from the association of many persons with many varieties of temperament in one body of scholarship.

It is declared that never in his career has Charles Ray been seen to better advantage than in the role of Cuthbert Trotman in "The Girl Dodger."

At the Best Tomorrow

Recognized as one of the most popular stars of the screen, Vivian Martin numbers her admirers by hundreds of thousands. Her latest starring vehicle is "The Home Town Girl," written by Oscar Graeve and adapted by Edith Kennedy. That it will delight her admirers when it is shown at the Best theatre tomorrow is confidently predicted by Manager Workman.

Mae Martin has the role of a little Yankee girl, who loves a soda water clerk in a country drug store and when he goes to New York for a better job so that they can marry, she promises to wait for him. He gets into difficulties through gambling, but her trust in him does not waver and when she goes in search of him, she succeeds in pulling him out of the mire and making a man of him. The story is a strong one and every scene of the photoplay has a thrill distinctly its own.

GIRLS WHO USE CUSS WORDS

Singular Admission Said to Have Been Made by the Members of a Graduating Class.

It has long been the fashion at colleges and schools to take a census of graduating classes to determine such vital facts as these:

What is your favorite flower? How tall are you? Do you smoke? Are you a prohibitionist?

At a girls' seminary a recent inquiry was more sweeping. To the interrogation: "Do you swear?" 290 of the 215 girls answered yes.

But admitting that they swear is not proof that these feminine lips do utter oaths. So at least says the law in New York state, writes "Giant" in the Philadelphia Press.

"Four or five people" must hear you swear, not for a second or two, but "for about five minutes"—that's the law in North Carolina.

Down in Alabama they don't expect a man to swear from the housetops, but the law says that if three or four persons hear you just once, good-night!

In Tennessee it is not necessary to repeat the offensive words when a culprit is indicted for swearing. I saw on the veranda of a country club seventeen women of whom twelve were drinking an intoxicating liquor and seven were smoking cigarettes.

But if that census at the girls' seminary is an index, more women swear than daily with John Barleycorn or Lady Nicotine.

Query: Why do women insist on being so much like men?

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Secretary Elmer Thompson of the Automobile Club of America said in New York the other day:

"The automobile gets the blame for everything. A man lay in the middle of the road one evening, surrounded by a large crowd. An old lady pushed her way into the crowd and said:

"Poor fellow! Poor young fellow! I suppose an automobile run into him."

"No, ma'am," said a policeman. "It wasn't an automobile that ran into him this time."

"What was it, then?" said the old lady.

"It was a keg, or maybe a keg and a half of beer," said the policeman."

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Real estate is the last thing to go down in price and the last thing to go up. Everything else has gone up, including apartment houses, office buildings, residence and rents. Vacant land is just starting. Buy these lots now at your own price. There is a corner in land. No more will be manufactured. Every lot you buy at this sale makes so much less of it. Be a trust in a small way. Own some of it and let the village of Crosby and the surrounding country work for you. SAVINGS BANKS PAY YOU 3 or 4 PER CENT INTEREST. They invest their money to pay you this interest by making loans on buildings and houses on such lots as these.

The logical conclusion of all this is that you should make very speedily 40 to 50 per cent on every dollar you invest at this sale.

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NOVEL COLLISION AT FLYING FIELD

Aeroplane in Charge of Aviator John Eddy of Morris Collides with Dr. J. A. Thabes' Car

CAR CUT IN TWO BY THE PLANE

No One Injured—Aeroplane Has Propeller Smashed and One Wing Broken From Frame

A novel collision, believed to be the first of its kind in northern Minnesota, occurred at the flying field east of Brainerd near the Britton farm Wednesday evening, when the plane navigated by Aviator John Eddy of Morris collided with a five-passenger Buick car owned by Dr. J. A. Thabes and tore off the top half of the car and smashed propeller and broke the wing of the flying machine.

The aviator and his companion were uninjured. No one was in the car. A crowd of bystanders, Eddy arrived in Brainerd about 2 o'clock Wednesday afternoon, having flown down from Morris to Brainerd in an hour and 28 minutes. He did quite a few stunts in the sky and then successfully negotiated a landing.

In the evening he was about to resume his voyage with Bemidji as the next stopping place. He took a run down the Britton field near Oak street and then doubled about to acquire more momentum. The Thabes car stood alone in the field and the aviator did not perceive it in the dusk. Just when rising he struck the car, clipped off windshield, steering gear and top and then crashed to earth with propeller and wing broken and took a nose dive and landed engine end first.

Dr. Thabes, when seen later, said he carried every kind of insurance except collision and at that, had he taken collision, he would certainly not have anticipated an aeroplane crash.

The car was taken to Brainerd and the aeroplane left on the field where temporary repairs will be attempted.

CAR BURNED UP AT LUM PARK

Saxon Touring Car of Earl and Forrest Clemenger Backfired There Wednesday Evening

PUSHED INTO LAKE TO PUT OUT

Water Only Spread the Flames. Sand Used Ineffectually. No Fire Extinguishers on Hand

Backfiring, the Saxon five passenger car of Earl and Forrest Clemenger, burned up at Lum park at about 10 o'clock Wednesday evening in the presence of hundreds of people. It was rolled down the bank into the lake, but water only seemed to spread the gasoline more and did not serve to put out the flames.

Art Koop, who saw service with the transportation corps in France, ran to the burning car and opened the plug of the gas tank, thus obviating any explosion and saving from injury many people who crowded about the automobile.

The Clemenger boys threw water by the bucketful on the burning engine. Sand was thrown on too. There were no blankets handy to smother the blaze. Not a car of the hundred or more on the scene had a fire extinguisher. Neither did Lum park possess anything in the way of apparatus for extinguishing the blaze.

The cushions and top burned, the spare tire and everything else in, flammable, until nothing but the frame was left. The Clemengers carried some insurance.

The occurrence marks the need of some kind of fire apparatus at Lum park either grenades or fire extinguishers.

The Clemenger brothers, recently returned from war service, intended touring to California and going into business there.

LET'S GO TO IRONTON FRIDAY

ROLL OF HONOR

Milton Mahlum has arrived from overseas service and is now at Holoken. He is expected home in a short time.

CHANGE AT WESTERN UNION

Miss M. E. Hess of Wahpeton succeeds A. A. Beck, who goes to Bemidji.

Miss M. E. Hess, an experienced operator, has succeeded A. A. Beck as manager of the Western Union office in Brainerd. The latter has been transferred to Bemidji. Miss Hess comes from Wahpeton, N. D.

Following this action, it is believed business house generally will unite in closing Friday afternoon.

PROCLAMATION

As showing our interest in a neighboring city of the range, it would tend to increase cordial relations between Brainerd and Ironton if as many citizens as possible motored to the Ironton Homecoming Celebration, Friday, August 22.

The banks of the city have taken the initiative and will close at 1 P. M. Friday, giving all engaged in banking the opportunity to attend the celebration.

I understand further that business houses of the city and other interests may observe the day like the banks and that many of the shopmen, interested in the celebration will go to Ironton.

Brainerd will be represented on the program by its baseball team which plays Ironton and I hereby request every Brainerd man at the game to root first last and all the time for Brainerd.

Dated August 20, 1919.
F. E. LITTLE,
Mayor of Brainerd.

NOTICE!
A regular meeting of North Star society will be held Thursday night, August 21 at the small hall of the Trades & Labor assembly. Some very important business is to be decided.

THEO NEWGARD,
Secretary.

DISPATCH WANT ADS PAY

WILL CONTINUE ASKING DONATIONS

Announcement Made by Capt. and Mrs. O. W. Knapp of Brainerd Salvation Army

CONTINUE PASS TAMBOURINE

At Present the Army is Not Covering Expenses and Cash is Urgently Needed

Capt. and Mrs. O. W. Knapp of Austin are now in charge of the Salvation Army at Brainerd and will be assisted by Capt. L. J. Hage. Capt. and Mrs. Knapp brought their three little ones with them and will make their home in this city.

In a statement given the Dispatch, Capt. and Mrs. Knapp said:

"Until the time comes when we shall realize something from the campaign that is on for the Salvation Army, it will be necessary for us to continue passing the tambourine through the business district for assistance, as we have no other source of income at the present. If our friends could see their way clear to send in financial help to tide us over for a few weeks, it would be appreciated. At present we are not covering expenses.

"Thanking our friends for all their kindness to us, we are respectfully yours for service."

The primary welcome meeting of Capt. and Mrs. Knapp will be held at the Salvation Army hall on Thursday evening at 8 o'clock. The general welcome of these officers will be held Sunday evening at 8 o'clock. It is with regret they expressed their inability to be present at the welcoming demonstration arranged for then Sunday evening by the Army.

WANTS TWO MAIL DELIVERIES

S. E. Brainerd Resident Writes the Dispatch to Inquire Why They are Not So Favored

Editor's Dispatch:

As a citizen of Brainerd and a resident of S. E. I certainly would like to know why we cannot have better mail service than we are having lately. There is no reflection on our present mail carrier, he is all right, he certainly does the best he can, is obliging and respectful to all, but we are certainly entitled to two deliveries a day. We always had it before. Believe me they can all say what they like about Mr. F. Russell, he may have had his faults, but who hasn't? He certainly was there with the delivering twice a day, summer and winter, 40 below zero. I believe in giving credit where credit is due. He was a good mail carrier and is missed round here for his good service. I don't see why the northside can have two deliveries and we cannot, but I suppose there is a reason. I don't think we are treated fair. I know I am voicing the sentiments of the Fourth Ward.

So will sign myself,
A SUBSCRIBER.

CUYUNA

Cuyuna, Minn., Aug. 19—Miss Nellie Kealey has returned from a ten days' visit with relatives at Duluth and Superior.

Earl Yuha returned from Duluth and Two Harbors.

Miss Mabel Oberg spent the weekend with her parents at Deerwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Johnson and three children returned Tuesday from an extended visit with relatives at Ironwood, Mich.

Arnold Kealey returned from Duluth, where he has been employed.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Oleson and three children recently visited relatives at Brainerd.

Miss E. Yuha of Duluth is visiting her parents and brother here this week.

William Petraborgh returned Tuesday from Duluth and St. Paul.

Miss Huldah Bergstrom of Duluth is visiting here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Busch and son, Wesley, returned Thursday from an extended visit with relatives at Viroqua, Wis.

Axel Peterson of Crosby visited relatives here Wednesday evening.

Miss Josephine Kiem has returned from a three weeks' visit with relatives at Pine Knoll.

Hugo Oleson, Arnold, and the Misses Alice and Geneva Petraborgh and Delphine Seguin attended a dance at Glen Saturday evening.

Miss Walda Oberg of Deerwood visited her sister here Thursday and Friday.

Gust Sylow returned Saturday from Minneapolis.

RETAIL CLERK'S MEETING

Local Clerks' union No. 205 will hold their regular meeting Thursday, August 21, 1919 at Odd Fellow hall. All members should do their bit by attending the meeting.

BRAINERD WELCOMES BANKER

(Continued from page 1)

flying with Lieut. Walter Bullock as pilot.

First Bankers Arriving
Among the first bankers present at the convention were:

George H. Richards, Minneapolis, Secretary Minnesota Bankers Association.

W. H. Newton, First National of St. Paul.

James Archibald Ross, Assistant Cashier National City bank of New York, with headquarters in Minneapolis.

A. H. Kennedy, Capital National bank of St. Paul.

R. W. Smyth, State bank Park Rapids.

F. G. Hinz, First National, St. Cloud.

A. G. Wedge, First National, Bemidji.

Kelley Chase, President Peoples bank St. Paul, former superintendent of banks.

V. E. Hanson, Midland National of Minneapolis. Six years ago he was connected with the Brainerd State bank.

Harry Lee, First National Browerville.

William E. Lee, Bank of Long Prairie.

R. G. Nells, Cashier Benton County State bank of Sauk Rapids.

Harold Riley, First National of St. Cloud.

L. T. Banks, Assistant Cashier Northwestern National, Minneapolis.

A. J. Roberts, Minnesota Loan and Trust Co.

A. V. Gardner, Metropolitan National of Minneapolis.

S. S. Cook, Cashier Federal Reserve of Minneapolis.

George Dole, Minneapolis, with Federal Reserve thrift campaign.

Entertainment

Following the adjournment of the convention there will be a trip to the plant of The Northwest Paper Co., citizens of Brainerd donating their cars or the trip.

About the same time Lieut. Walter Bullock of Minneapolis, flying under the direction of J. P. Finster, Minneapolis banker, will give an exhibition flight revealing all his stunts in the air.

A dinner will be given the visiting financiers by the local bankers at 7:15 in the evening in the dining room of the Ransford hotel.

Following the dinner the visitors will be the guests of the local bankers at a theatre party.

Local Entertainment

The local entertainment committee includes A. J. Hayes, Cashier of the First National bank, H. E. Kundert, Cashier of the Brainerd State bank and F. H. Simpson, Vice President of the Citizens State bank of Brainerd.

To Elect Officers

The convention will elect officers late in the afternoon. The present officers are President D. I. Bouck, Cashier of the Rice State bank of Rice; Vice President D. B. Caughren, Vice President of the Merchants National bank of Sauk Centre; Secretary George A. Moore, Cashier of the Merchants National bank of St. Cloud; Treasurer Harry Lee, Cashier of the First National bank of Browerville. Other members of the executive committee are J. K. Martin of the First National of Little Falls and E. M. Dunphy of the First National of Cass Lake.

CROSBY PIONEER DROWNS SELF

George Jeune, 72 Years Old, Ends Life in Serpent Lake

Crosby, Minn., Aug. 20—George Jeune, 72 years old and one of the early pioneers of this section, committed suicide by walking into Serpent lake and drowning himself. Mr. Jeune had been in poor health for some time and recently told his brother that he was tired of the struggle and would take his life soon if he did not improve. About 3 o'clock he disappeared and when shortly afterward it was discovered, a large number of his old neighbors, knowing his mental condition, started looking for him in the woods. Later they dragged the lake and about 10:30 found the old man's body in six feet of water, both hands firmly grasping weeds, evidently to hold himself under.

Mr. Jeune first took up a home,stead here thirty years ago.

FRENCH MANDATORY ASKED

Union of Syria and Lebanon Favored It Is Reported

Paris, Aug. 19—Union of Syria with Lebanon under a French mandatories is said to have been favored by most of the evidence presented to the American commission on mandates during its hearings in Syria, according to a Beirut dispatch to the Temps.

IT PAYS TO ADVERTISE



Autumn Millinery

Sufficient for us to say is that the initial showing of our new millinery is ready for you to inspect. We are more than delighted with the beauty of the new hats which our Mrs. Brown has selected for our department. There is always a satisfaction in possessing a new hat, early in the season. This pleasure may now be yours for a very reasonable price. We anticipate the pleasure of acquainting you with this newness at your earliest convenience.

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NORTHWEST NEWS

Prince of Wales

Winnipeg, Aug. 21—The Prince of Wales, during his stay in the southern and southwestern parts of Canada, is to indulge in Isaac Walton's favorite pastime and also participate in several big game hunts, according to plans made known here today. The prince is to shoulder shooting irons near Calgary and at several other points west of here. The prince's itinerary for this section of Canada includes stops at Winnipeg, September 9; Saskatoon, September 11; Edmonton, September 12; Calgary, September 13; Vancouver, September 22; Regina, October 4; Winnipeg, October 10; Fort William, October 11; Hamilton, October 13.

Grasshopper Menace

Fargo, N. D., Aug. 21—An inch

and a half under the fertile North Dakota soil lies the seed which will ruin the 1920 crop, if preventive means are not taken, according to Stewart Lockwood, entomologist of the state agricultural school. Grasshoppers which threatened to be a serious menace this year will take next year's crop unless eggs deposited beneath the ground are destroyed by plowing or poison, Lockwood said.

NOTICE

The Village Council of the village of Pequot, Crow Wing county, Minnesota, will receive sealed bids up to September 2nd, 1919, at 8 p. m. for the building of a one story brick hall and engine house, 25x60. Said bids to be accompanied by certified check for ten per cent of amount of bid. Plans and specifications may be seen at the clerk's office.

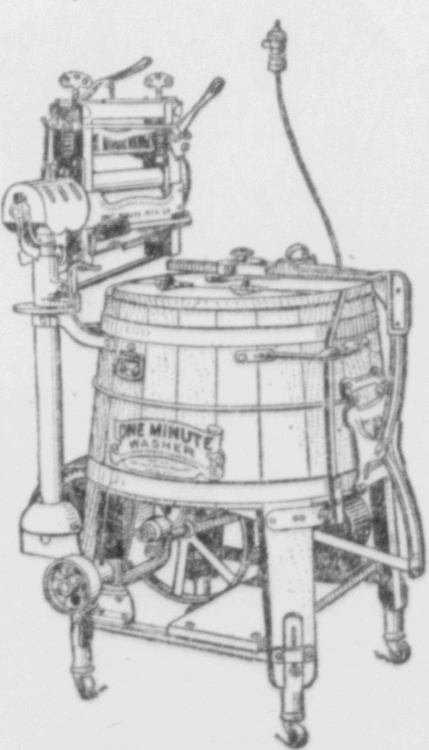
Council reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

J. C. NELSON,
Village Clerk.

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comes to every woman who has bounding health—but when she is pallid, dull eyed, languid, she has no magnetism nor does she appeal to any man.

Such a change in feelings and looks!

After suffering pain, feeling nervous, dizzy, weak and dragged down by weaknesses of her sex—with eyes sunken, black circles and pale cheeks—such a woman is quickly restored to health by the Favorite Prescription of Dr. Pierce. Changed, too, in looks, for after taking Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription the skin becomes clear, the eyes brighter, the cheeks plump. It is purely vegetable, contains no alcohol.

Druggists sell it in tablets or liquid. Send Dr. Pierce, Buffalo, N.Y., 10c for trial package.

The Gypsy's Revenge.

W. H. Campbell had his fortune told last week by one of the gypsies who have been in this neighborhood lately. While he was getting some gasoline at the Halsey garage, preparatory to a trip to Albany, he was approached by one of the fortune tellers, who asked for money. On his refusal to "come across" she told him he would have bad luck all the rest of the day. And sure enough he had gone only a short distance when the rear axle of his car broke!—Oregonian

SPORTS

BRAINERD STILLWATER BASEBALL SERIES

The championship series between Brainerd, champions of the Central Minnesota League, and Stillwater, champions of the Interstate League, has been arranged and the series will begin Sunday, August 24, at Stillwater, and the remaining two games will be played at Brainerd on Sunday, August 31 and Monday, Labor Day.

The series as first arranged brought the Stillwater team to Brainerd Sunday next. However, this has been changed and Brainerd will play at Stillwater next Sunday. This will bring the two deciding games to Brainerd and will give the Labor Day committee the deciding game to feature on their Labor Day program.

Roy Patterson, the Minneapolis and Chicago American League star, who is doing the mound work for Brainerd and who was instrumental in bringing the Central Minnesota pennant to float over Brainerd, will work in the first game at Stillwater Sunday, August 24. His home is at St. Croix Falls, Wis., and half the town and Hudson and every other place within 30 miles will be at the game to see the beginning of the state championship series.

The majority of Brainerd fans will motor to the game, leaving Brainerd Saturday afternoon after dinner and others early in the evening, figuring on making Minneapolis their night control, and motoring to Stillwater, 30 miles from the Mill City, on Sunday morning.

On Sunday, August 31, the first game at Brainerd will see Wood on the mound, leaving Patterson to pitch the deciding game on Labor Day.

It is hoped every fan who possibly can motor or get a pass will make the trip and help the Brainerd team win further glory by winning the first

game of the state championship series.

BASEBALL PLAYERS

How They Stack up as Traps Shooters—Push and Bender Shoot in Philadelphia Club

(PETER J. CARNEY)

Some day some gun club that wants to put on a novelty event and at the same time advance the sport of trapshooting will offer a trophy for a tournament for professional baseball players, either a cup to be won once, three times, or to be shot for annually.

And the club that does this little thing won't be encouraging the worst shot tournament in trapshooting history either. There will be some low scores of course, but the quality will be good as tournaments go. There will be more scores above 85 than under, and 85 is no mean score.

A good time to stage such a tournament would be during the playing of the world's baseball series, for at the October sports classic every baseball player who can possibly attend graces the ball yard with his person.

There are gun clubs in every city and it would matter not the least whether the shoot was held in New York, Cincinnati, Cleveland, or Chicago, for there are large, active gun clubs in these cities, who could well handle such a tournament as this with distinction.

Some of the ball players who no doubt would be very much interested in such a tournament as mentioned above are:

"Chief" Bender, now pitching for and managing the Richmond, Va., club; Bob Shawkey, of the New York Americans; Harry Davis, of the Athletics; Joe Bush, of the Red Sox; Joe Jackson and Eddie Collins, of the White Sox; Tris Speaker, of Cleveland; Billy Killefer and Grover Cleveland Alexander, of the Cubs; Ty Cobb of Detroit; Christy Mathewson, of the Giants; Wilbert Robinson, Jack Coombs, Gavy Cravath, Herman Bronkie, Cy Falkenberg and Otis Crandall.

Bush, Bender and Shawkey shoot on teams in the Philadelphia Traps Shooters' League.

Bender, Davis, Mathewson and Crandall made a tour of 17 states several years ago as a trapshooting team.

OWED MUCH TO STEREOSCOPE

How Commanders During the Great War Got Information of Vital Importance.

The old-fashioned stereoscope played an important part in the world war. It supplied an angle to photographs, snapped from airplanes, that could not be obtained from the ordinary camera lens. Before its use the pictures all seemed flat, but the stereoscope added height, and thus steep slopes, that appeared in pictures like flat ground, were shown in their true characteristics, and the lives of men who would have to cover the ground in attack were saved.

The airplane camera looks directly down on the spot to be photographed, making a picture as a one-eyed man would see it. A stereoscope camera, in which the lenses are two and three-quarters inches apart, would not produce the stereoscopic effect. Photographers decided to take pictures 100 yards apart to give a view, just as a giant, with eyes 100 yards apart, would see it. These pictures were put on cardboard, and viewed through the stereoscope. At first a cottage looked like a tower, a trench like a canyon, etc. The officers soon learned to translate these eccentricities, and the problem was solved. True pictures, giving just the exact information desired, were then obtained by the airplane photographers.

The "Biblers."

The Czechoslovaks, having attained national independence, attain also the privilege of reading the Bible in the national tongue, so the British Bible society is planning to print Czech Bibles purchasable for 50 cents each. Austrians and Italians have long called the Czechoslovaks "Biblers." The Czech Bible was first printed in 1475, but when the Czechs came under Austria the printing and reading of the Bible in their own language was forbidden. Copies of the Czech Bible were printed in other lands and smuggled in, but were burned if discovered. Religious persecution, dating back to the time of John Huss, the Bohemian reformer of the fifteenth century, combined with political persecution to make the Czech Bible rare, but all the more highly valued. Although, in modern days, the Austrian government permitted the circulation of the Czech Bible in the army, it continued to prohibit the circulation among the Czechs at home.

Value of Uncooked Food.

Man cannot digest and assimilate the mineral elements in rock; hence it is necessary for him to get the elements for structural work from fruits and vegetables, in their fresh, uncooked state; for cooking destroys the chemistry—the chemical synthesis with albumin is lost.—J. H. Tilden, M. D.

DISPATCH WANT ADS PAY

Wonderful Features at Big Minnesota State Fair

NEVER in the history of fairs has such a pretentious program of education and entertainment been prepared for the public as the one which is to be given at the Minnesota State Fair, August 30 to September 6.

At the head of the entertainment program is Lieut. Locklear, the young army flyer, who is to thrill



She's to Demonstrate at Fair.

visitors the first three days of the fair, Aug. 30, Aug. 31, and Labor Day, by passing from plane to plane in mid-air, climbing all over his aeroplane while it is going eighty miles and hour, and doing other hazardous things.

The big Soldiers' Reunion and Home-coming Festival, Thursday, Sept. 4, is certain to be one of the

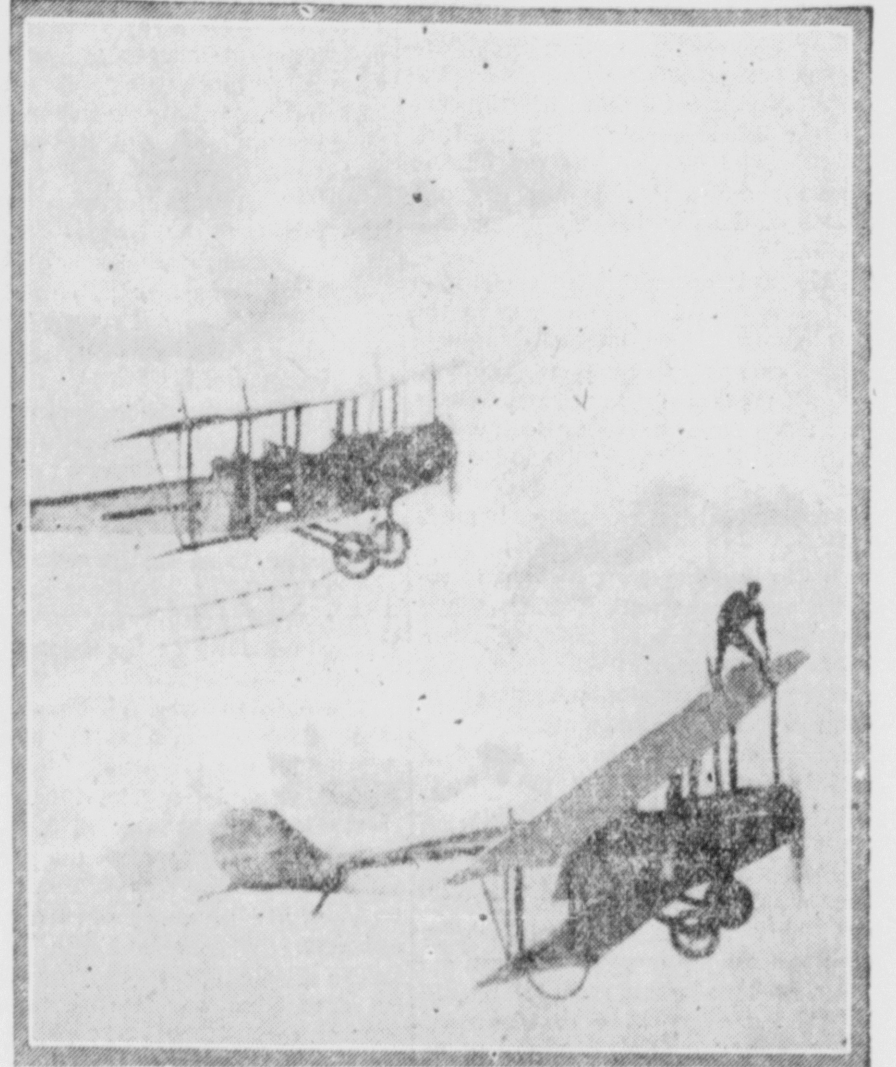


Getting Ready for Soldiers' Day.

banner days of the fair. Thousands of returned soldiers, sailors, and marines will pass before the Grandstand in a Parade and Review, in which many notables will participate. There will be military

music by the 151st Artillery Band, the famous "Million Dollar" Sunset Division band, and others.

On Labor Day a bigger crowd than thronged by the turnstiles in 1918 is expected, because of the extra-



It's Locklear Changing Planes.

ordinary program offered. There will be horse racing, vaudeville, a big night show, passages from plane to plane by Locklear, and a host of other features.

The big trophy exhibit by the 151st Artillery, displaying thousands of relics picked up by this unit from the battlefields of France and Germany, will interest many. In like manner the big combined exhibit of the War, Navy, Agricultural and other



Hold Her Tight, Miss Overalls.

departments at Washington, covering over 10,000 square feet of space, will be a big drawing card.

The auto show will present all the latest models. There will be more than 100 tractors in the machinery show, which is to cover eighty acres of space. The farm products show has never been equaled in former years, either in quality or quantity. The art show will house paintings worth \$1,000,000. The women's and children's exhibits will break all previous records.

August 30 to September 6.

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50 MEN WANTED—At once to work on big job of land clearing east of Pine River. Inquire of Ed Donald, Contractor, Pine River, Minn. 6923-371f

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FOR SALE—1917 Ford touring car. Telephone 668-M. 6716

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FOR SALE—Six room house and two lots. Enquire 608 N. Ninth. 6813

FOR SALE—About 30 tons first class hay, also four graded Jerseys, two fresh in October. Guy T. Baker, Brainerd. 6816

FOR SALE—Oil stove, kitchen cabinet, dresser and other furniture. 416 No. 8th St. Phone 544. 7132-6516

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FOR SALE—Three fine cleared, level lots in Northeast Brainerd, for sale cheap. No tax title. W. F. Wieland, First National Bank Bldg. 6658-3041f

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MISCELLANEOUS

LOST—Black pocketbook, containing money and key. Return to Mrs. Henry Johnson for reward. 624 Maple St. N. E. 7146-6613

THE PERSON who picked up a coat by mistake at the Best theatre Saturday afternoon please return to Eugene Hiltch or phone 822-M. 6712p

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